Voter Suppression Film Series

Did you know...

...that not everyone who wants to vote can actually vote?

The League of Women Voters of Bloomington-Monroe County has a long history of advocacy around voting and believes the best way for all of us to fight voter suppression is to arm ourselves with the facts and vote!

Along with several other local organizations, the League will host two "virtual screenings" that offer deeper insights into the issue of voter suppression. Each screening will begin with a film, followed by a question and answer (Q&A) session with local and state panelists. The stories in these films are moving, and they will leave you ready to take action.

You must register in advance for each of these free screenings at www.lwv-bmc.org/films. Information about each film and the dates of the screenings are below.

Suppressed: The Fight to Vote

Tuesday, September 15, 7:00 pm

Produced by Brave New Films, this 35-minute documentary chronicles the 2018 midterm election in Georgia where people faced polling place closures, voter purges, missing absentee ballots and extreme wait times — disproportionately preventing students and people of color from voting.

UnCivil War: U.S. Elections Under Siege

Tuesday, September 22, 7:00 pm

Produced and directed by Indiana native Tom Glynn, this 45-minute documentary exposes the web of threats facing our elections today. The film includes a segment on Indiana's fight to reform redistricting, featuring interviews with Common Cause's Julia Vaughn and Debbie Asberry of the Indiana League of Women Voters and co-founders of *All IN for Democracy*, Indiana's Coalition for Redistricting Reform.

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We hope you will join us for one or both of these events! Sign Up Today!

Thank you,

Monroe County Branch of the NAACP, the Unitarian Universalist Church of Bloomington's Racial Justice Task Force, Monroe County Women's Commission, Trinity Episcopal Church and League of Women Voters of Bloomington-Monroe County